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Letter dated 4 May 1992 from the Permanent Representative of Tunisia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith the text of a statement made on 1 May 1992 by an official source in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Tunisian Republic regarding the situation in Afghanistan.

I should be grateful if you would have the text of this letter and of its annex circulated as a document of the General Assembly under item 28 of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

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ANNEX

Statement made on 1 May 1992 by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Tunisia

The Tunisian Government has followed with great interest the latest developments in Afghanistan, a brother Islamic country, member of the Organization of the Islamic Conference and of the movement of non-aligned countries.

Recalling the role it once played in advocating the cause of the Afghan people within the Committee for Afghanistan of the Organization of the Islamic Conference, and the many contacts it established, at various levels, with the representatives of the Afghan resistance, Tunisia expresses its profound satisfaction that the reins of power in Afghanistan have now been taken over by the interim Government, in compliance with the wishes of the brother Afghan people. Tunisia hopes that the new regime can restore peace in Afghanistan and usher in a new era of concord and stability, in a way that will serve the interests and the future of the Afghan people and create the conditions for fruitful cooperation with this brother country on the basis of mutual respect and reciprocal benefit.